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Annual totals for the last two financial years are shown in conjunction with:-

- (a) Totals for the most recent three-monthly period together with comparative figures for the same period twelve months earlier; and
- (b) Monthly totals for each of the latest twelve months.

Figures for 1963-64, represent totals derived, where possible, from annual factory returns. It should be noted that for some factories, annual returns are accepted for a period other than the normal financial year ended June 30th.

From July, 1964 onwards, figures are preliminary and subject to revision.

NOTE: Where figures have been rounded in this publication, any discrepancies between totals and sums of components are due to rounding.

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Period	Fuel			Electricity		Towns Gas
	Black Coal	Brown Coal	Briqu-ettes	Generated (a)	Net Imports (+)	
	'000 tons			mill.kWh.		mill. cu.ft.
Year : 1963-64	r 49.1	18,683	1,883	7,888	r1,071	20,639
1964-65	46.0	19,574	1,893	8,610	1,374	21,166
Latest 3 Mths., 1966	7.7	4,833	423	2,091	194	4,033
Same 3 Mths., 1965	10.9	4,474	449	1,887	320	4,058
Month, 1965 Apr.	2.1	1,629	170	715	118	1,739
May	3.4	1,761	171	759	158	2,009
June	3.7	1,853	161	849	120	2,195
July	4.0	2,035	169	939	111	2,393
Aug.	3.5	1,964	166	915	68	2,177
Sep.	3.4	1,885	166	841	48	1,876
Oct.	3.7	1,845	174	793	62	1,736
Nov.	3.8	1,686	167	732	102	1,666
Dec.	3.0	1,547	116	738	39	1,396
1966 Jan.	1.4	1,597	114	r 745	11	1,247
Feb.	2.8	1,415	134	r 609	101	1,305
Mar.	3.5	1,821	175	737	82	1,481

Period	Wire Nails, Steel	Building Materials			Sawn Native Timber (c)	
		Clay Bricks	Roofing Tiles			Plaster Sheets (b)
			Concrete	Terra Cotta		
	tons	mill.			'000 sq.yds.	mill. sup.ft.
Year : 1963-64	8,228	355	26.1	16.7	7,463	320
1964-65	9,177	371	28.3	17.3	6,765	311
Latest 3 Mths., 1966	1,789	82.0	6.7	3.2	2,558	60.7
Same 3 Mths., 1965	2,233	85.8	6.5	3.6	1,541	64.4
Month, 1965 Apr.	733	31.7	2.1	1.4	566	24.0
May	798	31.9	2.5	1.5	571	29.1
June	649	32.5	2.6	1.6	571	28.7
July	764	34.6	2.2	1.5	959	28.4
Aug.	788	31.8	2.3	1.5	954	28.0
Sep.	745	35.2	2.4	1.7	919	27.7
Oct.	691	35.2	2.3	1.4	885	26.8
Nov.	673	33.8	2.3	1.5	911	26.5
Dec.	472	29.0	1.9	1.3	798	23.1
1966 Jan.	392	20.9	1.6	0.6	555	13.6
Feb.	670	27.9	2.2	1.3	925	24.0
Mar.	727	33.1	2.9	1.3	1,077	

(a) Includes production by State Electricity Commission, electricity generated in factories for own use, and a quantity generated by other producers for sale.

(b) Figures prior to July, 1965, refer to production of Fibrous Plaster Sheets only.

(c) Australian Grown. Includes timber for sawn sleepers.

Period	Plaster of Paris	Portland Cement (a)	Building Fittings			
			Wash Boilers, Gas	Sinks, Stainless Steel	Baths, Vitreous Enamelled	Wash Basins, Vitreous Enamelled
	'000 tons	tons	No.			
Year : 1963-64	128.0	n.a.	1,911	79,999	33,426	22,734
1964-65	134.0	993,297	1,106	90,261	35,932	23,517
Latest 3 Mths., 1966	28.9	196,111	207	16,660	9,887	8,054
Same 3 Mths., 1965	30.0	239,834	n.a.	22,053	9,832	5,763
Month, 1965 Apr.	10.5	85,569	111	6,594	3,339	1,800
May	11.2	93,119	73	7,800	2,684	2,050
June	11.4	79,132	n.a.	8,291	2,156	1,619
July	10.3	83,299	96	6,657	2,467	2,575
Aug.	10.6	79,633	67	7,819	2,783	2,490
Sep.	10.5	79,869	152	10,347	3,095	2,080
Oct.	10.7	100,279	n.a.	9,109	3,611	2,247
Nov.	11.0	74,147	84	8,202	3,898	3,888
Dec.	8.5	77,712	46	6,847	3,435	2,457
1966 Jan.	6.2	56,157	44	2,439	1,298	1,216
Feb.	11.0	63,052	95	5,976	4,018	2,757
Mar.	11.7	76,902	68	8,245	4,571	4,081

Period	Building Fittings					Pans, Pottery (Closets)
	Cooking Appliances		Hot Water Systems - Storage			
	Solid Fuel	Gas (b)	Gas (b)	Electric	Other	
	No.					
Year : 1963-64	16,787	50,874	2,708	25,336	11,326	117,234
1964-65	14,162	63,512	2,008	30,200	12,150	146,019
Latest 3 Mths., 1966	2,352	10,513	n.a.	6,725	1,516	n.a.
Same 3 Mths., 1965	2,743	13,911	n.a.	6,854	2,430	33,076
Month, 1965 Apr.	1,044	4,625	93	2,247	733	13,415
May	1,191	3,350	137	2,201	919	14,595
June	1,093	4,161	154	2,363	893	13,479
July	1,416	5,311	n.a.	2,618	933	12,624
Aug.	1,256	4,834	n.a.	2,767	904	13,629
Sep.	1,255	6,518	249	2,748	889	12,848
Oct.	984	5,844	n.a.	2,692	831	10,686
Nov.	1,049	7,609	n.a.	2,757	r 862	10,432
Dec.	965	7,129	n.a.	1,922	463	9,609
1966 Jan.	332	1,968	n.a.	1,159	240	n.a.
Feb.	804	4,113	n.a.	2,691	667	10,383
Mar.	1,216	4,432	157	2,875	609	12,385

(a) Statistics of cement production prior to April, 1964, are not available for publication.

(b) Includes Liquid Petroleum Gas appliances.

Period	Paints				
	Ready Mixed Paints and Enamels		Lacquers (Nitro- cellu- lose)	Thinners for Lacquers	Water Paints
	Architect- ural and Decorative	Industrial			
	'000 gall.				
Year : 1963-64	2,542	1,954	491	983	981
1964-65	2,376	2,165	506	1,023	1,082
Latest 3 Mths., 1966	485	473	100	227	271
Same 3 Mths., 1965	592	469	117	243	231
Month, 1965 Apr.	186	194	51.3	89.0	75.0
May	186	195	43.1	93.9	91.5
June	165	194	39.0	96.8	92.9
July	180	211	45.8	91.8	101.0
Aug.	173	190	38.6	84.7	91.8
Sep.	191	201	51.6	86.4	113.9
Oct.	178	190	39.5	82.2	106.7
Nov.	207	198	38.2	96.1	128.3
Dec.	192	170	31.0	78.6	104.2
1966 Jan.	110	102	17.8	49.2	74.3
Feb.	171	167	36.5	75.6	94.5
Mar.	203	204	46.1	102.4	102.6
Period	Soap (a)		Soap Extracts and Powders (a) (b)	Abrasive Cleansers and Scourers (a)	Detergents (c)
	For Personal Toilet	For Other Purposes			
	'000 cwt.				
Year : 1963-64	100.3	323	267	13.5	519
1964-65	126.9	257	126	11.7	r 565
Latest 3 Mths., 1966	21.1	33.0	16.9	2.5	250
Same 3 Mths., 1965	26.3	60.9	28.6	2.6	122
Month, 1965 Apr.	13.2	23.0	10.3	1.0	52.7
May	11.9	23.3	5.9	1.0	53.6
June	11.5	20.8	5.9	0.8	38.4
July	15.1	28.4	5.5	0.9	105.6
Aug.	10.0	18.1	5.5	0.9	94.3
Sep.	11.7	11.6	5.8	1.0	88.3
Oct.	7.7	9.9	4.3	1.0	92.1
Nov.	8.0	11.4	5.7	1.0	90.9
Dec.	7.6	10.5	5.7	0.7	82.5
1966 Jan.	6.2	9.5	4.2	0.7	84.5
Feb.	6.8	11.8	5.5	0.8	87.8
Mar.	8.1	11.7	7.2	1.0	78.0

(a) Items with active constituents of soap or mixtures of soap and alkali.

(b) Includes soap granules from and including July, 1965.

(c) Includes all synthetic detergents, wetting agents, and mixtures of soap and synthetic detergents. New series from and including July, 1965.

Period	Space Heaters		Domestic Electric Appliances			
	Solid Fuel	Other (a)	Clothes Washing Machines	Hot Water Jugs	Toasters	Radiators and Electric Fires (b)
	No.		'000			
Year : 1963-64	10,152	40,828	24.5	n.a.	n.a.	547.2
1964-65	14,309	63,856	28.0	113.0	n.a.	710.5
Latest 3 Mths., 1966	2,406	22,088	3.4	16.6	39.0	163.0
Same 3 Mths., 1965	4,168	13,006	6.8	23.7	32.0	174.4
Month, 1965 Apr.	2,268	8,492	2.5	8.8	10.0	85.8
May	1,252	10,912	1.7	10.3	9.2	93.0
June	1,593	9,750	1.9	10.1	14.0	77.6
July	1,209	5,693	2.0	7.4	11.9	45.0
Aug.	930	4,531	2.0	8.5	12.0	38.4
Sep.	674	3,801	2.0	7.8	10.7	50.6
Oct.	1,118	3,811	1.9	7.5	11.7	49.0
Nov.	855	5,178	1.8	9.3	16.6	42.6
Dec.	318	3,673	1.6	7.5	15.3	33.8
1966 Jan.	587	3,130	0.7	2.0	8.2	14.1
Feb.	1,067	8,149	1.1	6.4	15.0	56.9
Mar.	752	10,809	1.7	8.2	15.9	91.9
Period	Electric Motors					Radios and Radio-grams
	Under 1 H.P.	1 H.P. and under 2½ H.P.	2½ H.P. and under 5 H.P.	5 H.P. and over	Total	
	'000					
Year : 1963-64	446.9	18.7	6.6	9.3	481.5	116.3
1964-65	501.3	19.1	7.2	14.1	541.7	123.0
Latest 3 Mths., 1966	100.4	3.78	1.03	2.55	107.8	19.0
Same 3 Mths., 1965	107.6	5.06	1.74	2.52	116.9	26.7
Month, 1965 Apr.	42.2	1.74	0.60	1.25	45.8	8.6
May	40.4	2.33	0.77	1.22	44.7	5.4
June	47.3	1.38	0.44	1.09	50.2	5.5
July	42.5	1.83	0.65	1.33	46.3	5.1
Aug.	34.5	1.57	0.89	0.77	37.7	6.1
Sep.	37.1	1.52	0.52	1.12	40.3	7.3
Oct.	40.4	0.98	0.53	0.87	42.8	12.3
Nov.	46.4	1.42	0.60	1.18	49.6	12.9
Dec.	41.0	2.30	0.73	0.94	45.0	13.4
1966 Jan.	15.9	1.02	0.14	0.22	17.3	3.8
Feb.	38.1	1.36	0.48	0.98	40.9	9.8
Mar.	46.4	1.40	0.41	1.35	49.6	5.4

(a) Includes Gas and Oil Burning Space Heaters not portable.

(b) Includes convection type.

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Period	Motor Bodies Made or Assembled		Motor Vehicle Chassis Assembled		Batteries (Starting Lighting and Ignition)	
	Cars	Commercial Vehicles (a)	Cars (b)	Commercial Vehicles	6 Volt	12 Volt
	'000					
Year : 1963-64	133.7	20.4	145.4	29.1	175	508
1964-65	143.4	19.3	153.7	27.5	142	512
Latest 3 Mths., 1966	24.8	3.6	27.0	4.7	31.8	103.7
Same 3 Mths., 1965	29.3	3.6	31.4	5.9	31.3	112.2
Month, 1965 Apr.	13.4	1.3	14.6	2.2	10.0	46.0
May	14.7	1.4	15.9	2.4	9.9	46.9
June	14.2	1.7	15.0	2.3	10.7	45.7
July	13.6	2.5	14.2	3.4	13.3	47.0
Aug.	13.4	2.1	13.9	3.3	11.5	42.4
Sep.	13.0	2.2	13.6	2.5	10.7	41.5
Oct.	11.1	2.0	11.9	2.9	11.2	42.5
Nov.	11.8	1.5	12.9	1.9	11.7	38.7
Dec.	7.8	1.0	8.7	1.5	8.7	30.2
1966 Jan.	3.8	0.6	4.3	0.8	6.0	18.8
Feb.	8.8	1.2	9.6	1.6	11.7	35.8
Mar.	12.2	1.9	13.1	2.4	14.1	49.1

Period	Gold Refined (c)	Pedal Cycles	Peram- bulators (d)	Sulphuric Acid	Super- phos- phate	Barbed Wire	Plastics and Synthetic Resins
	'000 fine oz.	'000		'000 tons		tons	'000 cwt.
Year : 1963-64	22.7	19.9	62.8	429	1,117	4,308	858
1964-65	21.2	23.1	61.0	466	1,262	3,513	991
Latest 3 Mths., 1966	5.3	3.3	12.1	138.5	391.8	1,107	223
Same 3 Mths., 1965	4.0	4.2	13.0	121.7	320.6	829	224
Month, 1965 Apr.	1.4	1.8	5.1	36.2	105.2	239	78.2
May	2.9	1.9	4.9	45.5	125.7	254	94.0
June	0.5	1.9	5.0	35.9	42.4	301	98.1
July	2.5	1.8	4.3	39.4	103.0	423	91.4
Aug.	1.5	1.6	5.9	30.7	82.4	334	89.1
Sep.	1.4	1.5	5.2	35.9	99.1	368	97.2
Oct.	1.2	2.5	6.1	37.5	85.6	367	95.6
Nov.	1.3	3.0	6.8	41.4	95.6	348	96.3
Dec.	1.9	3.4	5.4	45.6	143.0	210	69.7
1966 Jan.	1.2	0.5	2.1	46.3	133.9	245	61.9
Feb.	0.9	1.5	4.5	46.3	125.1	356	72.5
Mar.	3.2	1.3	5.5	45.9	132.8	506	88.8

- (a) Excludes truck cabs and trailers.
(b) Includes station wagons and estate cars.
(c) Mine Production.
(d) Includes Pushers and Strollers.

Period	Mattresses			Floor Coverings		
	Woven Wire, Link Mesh and Spring(a)	Inner Spring	Other	Soft Surfaced	Smooth Surfaced	Underfelts and Underlays (b)
	'000			'000 sq.yds.		
Year : 1963-64	156.8	192.7	95	7,561	2,431	2,466
1964-65	r171.8	206.9	94	8,551	5,266	2,559
Latest 3 Mths., 1966	36.0	42.8	17.2	1,545	1,525	536
Same 3 Mths., 1965	38.6	46.2	21.4	1,828	957	488
Month, 1965 Apr.	13.8	17.1	6.6	717	322	194
May	12.9	16.3	6.1	770	437	212
June	12.4	17.4	5.4	735	512	229
July	14.4	18.2	5.8	845	645	229
Aug.	14.5	17.1	7.0	809	619	248
Sep.	13.9	17.9	7.6	830	709	262
Oct.	14.3	17.6	9.0	807	609	252
Nov.	16.1	19.7	8.1	704	625	323
Dec.	15.4	18.9	7.8	580	485	266
1966 Jan.	8.5	r 9.9	3.2	269	254	90
Feb.	12.6	16.0	7.3	575	513	224
Mar.	14.9	17.0	6.7	701	758	222
Period	Blankets (c)	Rugs (c)	Wool			
			Scoured and Carbon- ized	Tops	Yarns (d)	
					Worsted	Woollen
	'000		mill.lb.			
Year : 1963-64	910	68	58.0	21.8	11.58	16.54
1964-65	929	65	57.9	18.8	10.85	18.24
Latest 3 Mths., 1966	185	9.8	14.0	4.1	2.08	3.96
Same 3 Mths., 1965	218	6.8	13.6	4.0	2.69	4.13
Month, 1965 Apr.	76.9	10.0	5.1	1.5	0.92	1.50
May	90.8	10.5	5.5	1.6	0.94	1.72
June	93.9	9.7	6.1	2.0	0.94	1.76
July	66.5	8.0	5.8	1.8	0.86	1.57
Aug.	78.7	5.2	5.3	1.8	0.92	1.70
Sep.	75.5	3.4	5.1	1.8	0.87	1.59
Oct.	55.2	3.6	4.9	1.5	0.97	1.50
Nov.	85.8	2.7	5.2	1.7	0.98	1.62
Dec.	51.3	1.9	4.3	1.3	0.72	1.29
1966 Jan.	32.8	1.3	3.4	0.9	0.42	0.64
Feb.	61.5	3.2	4.6	1.4	0.78	1.48
Mar.	90.7	5.3	6.0	1.7	0.88	1.84

(a) Includes the bed base of wire stretchers and folding beds.

(b) Excludes rubber, plastic, or paper.

(c) Wool or predominantly wool.

(d) Including mixtures predominantly of the fibre specified.

Period	Finished Woven Fabric, Etc.						
	Wool - Worsted Pure and Mixture	Woollen		Cotton Fabrics (a)	Other (Rayon and Synthetic Fibres) (a)	Cotton Sewing Thread (b)	
		Pure	Mixtures				
	'000 sq.yds.					'000 lb.	
Year : 1963-64	5,132	4,215	2,290	20,384	20,345	985	
1964-65	4,941	4,758	2,321	21,466	24,492	1,256	
Latest 3 Mths., 1966	881	990	649	4,313	4,732	279	
Same 3 Mths., 1965	1,123	1,148	639	3,993	4,871	262	
Month, 1965 Apr.	406	359	164	1,722	1,956	136.0	
May	480	371	156	2,062	2,405	146.2	
June	459	408	156	2,029	2,706	123.4	
July	480	372	167	1,908	1,862	102.6	
Aug.	477	381	164	2,016	2,115	120.2	
Sep.	439	401	226	1,779	2,217	110.2	
Oct.	433	377	252	2,057	2,163	109.6	
Nov.	416	429	260	2,034	2,157	88.6	
Dec.	293	309	207	1,375	1,658	104.3	
1966 Jan.	170	191	114	760	788	54.0	
Feb.	323	389	222	1,565	1,775	114.8	
Mar.	389	410	313	1,988	2,169	110.0	
Period	Underwear			Nightwear		Bathing Suits and Trunks	
	Men's and Boys'	Women's and Girls'	Infants' and Baby Wear	Men's and Boys' Pyjamas	Women's and Girls'		
					Night- dresses		Pyjamas
	'000 dozen						
Year : 1963-64	905	r2,138	58	141	206	211	98.7
1964-65	981	2,125	r 66	156	218	r210	117.1
Latest 3 Mths., 1966	222	434	16.7	41.3	49.5	55.3	6.3
Same 3 Mths., 1965	200	447	16.8	36.1	44.9	66.9	7.3
Month, 1965 Apr.	77.1	179.1	6.4	15.2	18.2	23.8	4.3
May	85.6	189.3	5.7	18.2	18.1	16.0	9.6
June	87.5	194.7	5.4	15.3	20.4	14.3	13.7
July	88.3	187.8	5.5	13.1	20.0	12.6	16.3
Aug.	95.6	184.6	4.9	14.3	23.0	14.6	17.0
Sep.	92.4	189.3	6.0	11.4	23.2	14.3	16.8
Oct.	95.2	195.2	5.8	13.6	19.3	13.6	17.2
Nov.	96.4	207.0	6.6	13.4	19.2	13.0	12.9
Dec.	71.3	172.6	4.8	11.6	13.8	12.8	6.7
1966 Jan.	39.4	r 84.8	3.1	6.9	r 8.2	7.5	r 2.2
Feb.	83.8	172.5	6.5	15.2	18.0	20.5	1.7
Mar.	98.5	176.6	7.1	19.2	23.3	27.3	2.5

(a) Including mixtures predominantly of the fibres specified.

(b) Sewing threads for household use and light counts (over 18's) for industrial use.
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Period	Hosiery						
	Women's			Men's	Child- ren's	Infants'	Total
	Full Fashioned	Cir- cular	Anklelets				
	'000 dozen pair						
Year : 1963-64	416	2,698	153	1,526	729	111	r5,634
1964-65	271	3,338	138	1,610	830	r 89	6,275
Latest 3 Mths., 1966	23.1	742	35.1	301	150	11.5	1,264
Same 3 Mths., 1965	55.8	705	31.7	318	187	14.8	1,313
Month, 1965 Apr.	20.6	290.5	9.9	126.3	57.2	5.6	510
May	19.1	337.9	13.5	140.2	64.3	6.1	581
June	17.7	345.3	12.1	150.1	68.6	6.6	600
July	18.7	323.9	12.2	141.9	71.6	5.8	574
Aug.	16.4	323.7	15.7	154.5	67.4	6.5	584
Sep.	16.8	322.8	10.8	164.9	70.6	6.7	593
Oct.	16.9	328.7	10.9	166.3	75.7	6.4	605
Nov.	16.2	314.8	12.5	154.1	74.2	7.4	579
Dec.	8.8	249.8	10.2	101.9	54.5	6.1	431
1966 Jan.	5.3	129.9	7.6	54.0	32.5	2.3	232
Feb.	8.5	278.6	12.7	105.1	57.9	3.7	466
Mar.	9.3	333.7	14.8	142.7	59.9	5.5	566
Period	Cardigans, Pullovers, &c.						Shirts
	Men's and Youths'	Boys'	Women's and Maids'	Girls'	Infants' and Baby Wear	Men's and Boys'	
	'000 dozen						
Year : 1963-64	182	66.3	r 529	r 136	71.5	890	
1964-65	163	63.0	588	122	91.5	1,022	
Latest 3 Mths., 1966	41.9	18.8	153	31.5	21.0	158	
Same 3 Mths., 1965	40.8	17.7	149	33.9	26.4	199	
Month, 1965 Apr.	16.7	6.6	54.1	14.0	8.6	80.5	
May	14.7	6.7	56.8	11.4	9.0	102.0	
June	14.6	5.6	49.8	8.7	6.8	102.3	
July	13.9	5.5	53.8	7.0	8.0	114.2	
Aug.	13.6	5.3	54.6	9.5	6.3	107.9	
Sep.	13.3	4.9	52.0	9.2	5.9	101.8	
Oct.	14.2	5.6	51.5	11.7	6.1	100.6	
Nov.	14.9	5.8	54.5	12.6	7.6	96.4	
Dec.	11.9	6.0	50.5	8.5	6.9	77.3	
1966 Jan.	8.2	4.0	34.2	6.7	4.1	r 28.8	
Feb.	14.9	6.5	62.0	12.1	9.0	61.2	
Mar.	18.8	8.3	57.2	12.8	7.9	68.4	

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Period	Men's and Boys' Clothing (Civilian Day Wear)					
	Short Length Coats					
	Suit Coats		Sports Coats	Bermuda & Reefer Jackets	Blazers	
	Men's and Youths'	Boys'	Men's and Youths'	Men's and Youths'	Men's and Youths'	Boys'
	'000					
Year : 1963-64	401	n.a.	155	55	15.1	12.9
1964-65	431	15.0	158	45	13.1	12.5
Latest 3 Mths., 1966	88.9	3.18	29.6	6.5	4.78	n.a.
Same 3 Mths., 1965	81.7	n.a.	31.8	7.4	3.66	2.91
Month, 1965 Apr.	32.6	1.80	12.0	2.9	1.77	0.72
May	36.4	1.26	13.1	4.3	0.77	0.88
June	37.9	1.42	15.0	3.8	0.75	0.76
July	33.6	1.83	15.9	3.7	1.09	0.84
Aug.	39.5	n.a.	13.6	3.7	1.00	1.14
Sep.	46.5	1.12	15.2	4.7	1.05	1.72
Oct.	41.8	1.63	16.3	3.6	1.44	1.95
Nov.	46.2	1.58	19.5	3.0	2.43	1.93
Dec.	35.1	1.45	9.7	3.3	2.13	3.59
1966 Jan.	16.9	0.44	4.1	1.2	0.98	1.02
Feb.	32.6	1.54	10.4	2.4	1.72	2.64
Mar.	39.4	1.20	15.1	2.9	2.08	n.a.
Period	Men's and Boys' Clothing (Civilian Day Wear)					
	Trousers - Men's and Youths'		Shorts and Knickers	Overalls	Overcoats and Raincoats (b)	
	Sports	Work (a)	Boys'	Men's and Youths'	Men's and Youths'	Boys'
	'000					
Year : 1963-64	1,370	677	1,373	1,060	87	n.a.
1964-65	1,483	751	1,158	1,173	100	n.a.
Latest 3 Mths., 1966	280	169	239	213	26.78	4.86
Same 3 Mths., 1965	287	143	243	325	32.17	4.52
Month, 1965 Apr.	112.7	64.1	44.7	91.8	15.79	3.44
May	120.7	68.7	42.2	110.7	14.13	1.50
June	130.4	75.0	81.3	123.5	9.77	0.81
July	r126.8	57.4	81.5	104.6	3.59	0.37
Aug.	r129.0	69.6	77.3	90.5	3.33	0.29
Sep.	r135.9	85.5	136.5	123.1	2.35	0.87
Oct.	r133.2	61.7	146.3	103.4	1.46	n.a.
Nov.	r146.6	78.4	158.4	93.8	2.60	0.49
Dec.	r120.6	76.4	135.9	81.1	5.68	0.77
1966 Jan.	r 48.4	24.8	44.6	33.5	3.22	0.81
Feb.	102.7	58.0	85.8	77.5	8.94	1.56
Mar.	129.3	85.8	108.9	102.0	14.62	2.49

(a) Includes Jeans.

(b) Wool (or containing Wool) Tweed and Gabardine, and Cotton Gabardine only.

Period	Foundation Garments		Gloves, Work (a)	Footwear	
	Corsets and Corselets	Brassieres		Boots, Shoes, and Sandals	Slippers (b)
	'000 dozen		dozen pair	'000 pair	
Year : 1963-64	159	262	65,980	r15,176	8,917
1964-65	176	265	71,028	15,087	9,546
Latest 3 Mths., 1966	35.7	56.1	12,790	2,779	2,324
Same 3 Mths., 1965	36.3	53.0	15,286	2,996	2,492
Month, 1965 Apr.	14.0	22.8	6,439	1,173	994
May	15.7	24.3	6,226	1,231	833
June	16.7	23.4	5,825	1,320	750
July	16.7	25.6	6,750	1,337	726
Aug.	17.9	23.2	7,162	1,470	707
Sep.	20.1	23.2	6,010	1,604	766
Oct.	17.9	22.9	5,970	1,471	835
Nov.	20.5	25.1	6,185	1,453	858
Dec.	18.4	18.7	5,153	1,059	688
1966 Jan.	5.7	8.4	2,536	501	434
Feb.	13.2	21.2	4,873	1,009	818
Mar.	16.9	26.6	5,381	1,269	1,072
Period	Footballs, Australian Rules	Hides and Skins (Used in Tanneries)		Sheepskins (Including Pelts)	Meat and Bone Meal (c)
		Bovine			
		Cattle	Calf		
	No.	'000		'000 dozen	'000 lb.
Year : 1963-64	54,829	835	132	59.2	131,034
1964-65	53,344	r 802	r 82	54.4	129,074
Latest 3 Mths., 1966	16,092	148	7.0	11.8	39,481
Same 3 Mths., 1965	15,595	182	18.9	12.3	32,605
Month, 1965 Apr.	6,690	58.1	5.3	4.3	11,132
May	6,517	64.2	6.5	5.2	10,497
June	5,485	70.5	6.1	4.6	10,074
July	5,159	66.0	5.2	4.3	9,250
Aug.	3,545	68.8	n.a.	4.9	9,698
Sep.	3,391	69.2	2.5	4.9	10,327
Oct.	3,727	59.8	n.a.	5.4	11,150
Nov.	4,356	57.1	2.7	6.2	11,993
Dec.	4,337	36.6	1.5	3.4	12,259
1966 Jan.	2,423	40.4	1.4	3.0	11,543
Feb.	5,997	50.7	2.4	4.4	12,186
Mar.	7,672	56.8	3.2	4.4	15,753

(a) Other than Rubber.

(b) Includes soft sole nursery shoes.

(c) Includes Blood Meal, and Meat Meal.

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Period	Meat					
	Beef and Veal	Mutton	Lamb	Pigmeat	Bacon and Ham (a)	Canned Meat
	'000 tons					
Year : 1963-64	225	145	r78.7	25.2	8.81	26.7
1964-65	243	146	83.5	28.3	9.19	30.7
Latest 3 Mths., 1966	61.5	43.8	20.1	8.32	2.09	6.21
Same 3 Mths., 1965	62.6	41.9	18.5	6.91	2.03	7.01
Month, 1965 Apr.	21.9	11.6	5.8	2.53	0.68	1.61
May	21.3	9.5	5.1	2.57	0.66	2.31
June	18.2	9.2	5.3	2.52	0.71	2.64
July	18.3	7.6	4.3	2.35	0.74	2.41
Aug.	18.3	9.2	4.5	2.52	0.72	2.34
Sep.	17.3	11.2	5.5	2.74	0.86	2.36
Oct.	17.9	11.4	7.1	2.76	0.75	2.66
Nov.	19.6	13.9	8.3	3.09	0.82	2.58
Dec.	19.1	15.4	7.6	3.57	1.23	3.03
1966 Jan.	18.1	13.8	6.1	2.41	0.66	2.19
Feb.	20.0	13.8	6.7	2.75	0.64	1.98
Mar.	23.4	16.2	7.3	3.17	0.79	2.04
Period	Wheat Products			Oatmeal and Rolled Oats	Starch	Barley Malt
	Flour	Bran	Pollard			
	'000 short tons			'000 cwt.	'000 lb.	'000 bushels
Year : 1963-64	518	81.9	105.5	145	23,290	9,249
1964-65	464	68.4	96.5	159	r46,629	9,237
Latest 3 Mths., 1966	104	15.6	21.4	34.1	9,322	2,588
Same 3 Mths., 1965	108	16.5	23.0	40.3	10,041	2,185
Month, 1965 Apr.	39.4	5.8	8.6	20.0	r 3,965	746
May	40.9	6.0	8.7	24.3	r 4,137	802
June	39.8	5.5	8.6	16.3	r 4,293	820
July	40.3	5.6	8.8	18.9	r 4,033	843
Aug.	32.5	4.8	7.1	12.7	r 4,195	837
Sep.	33.4	4.7	7.1	8.0	r 4,257	841
Oct.	35.0	4.8	7.5	5.2	r 3,734	836
Nov.	37.4	5.4	7.8	n.a.	r 4,448	864
Dec.	33.9	5.2	7.2	6.1	r 3,605	828
1966 Jan.	32.5	5.2	6.7	7.7	r 1,864	886
Feb.	31.3	4.6	6.4	6.9	r 3,293	799
Mar.	40.4	5.9	8.2	19.5	4,165	903

(a) Cured bone-in weight of smoked, cooked, and canned bacon and ham.

Period	Processed Milk and Milk Derivatives				
	Condensed	Powdered Full Cream	Powdered Skim	Casein	Other Milk Products
	'000 lb.				
Year : 1963-64	133,741	22,328	59,008	34,967	37,173
1964-65	147,763	24,142	78,573	37,725	35,820
Latest 3 Mths., 1966	31,748	4,338	18,042	9,460	12,233
Same 3 Mths., 1965	43,948	4,568	18,888	8,038	10,457
Month, 1965 Apr.	8,561	428	3,026	976	2,203
May	4,872	822	2,607	589	1,715
June	2,620	734	2,171	624	2,029
July	4,123	1,914	3,194	1,394	2,551
Aug.	10,923	2,389	6,960	2,960	3,800
Sep.	14,740	3,039	8,082	6,528	4,217
Oct.	18,369	3,948	9,355	8,495	4,544
Nov.	15,677	3,299	9,394	8,150	4,547
Dec.	14,636	3,137	8,523	7,002	3,437
1966 Jan.	12,314	1,976	7,394	4,706	4,270
Feb.	10,649	1,464	5,332	2,730	3,831
Mar.	8,785	898	5,315	2,024	4,131

Period	Jam, (Incl. Conservees, Fruit Spreads, etc.)	Canned Fruit and Vegetables (a)			Canned Spaghetti	Frozen Vege- tables
		Apricots, Peaches, and Pears	Beans, Baked	Other Vege- tables(b)		
	mill.lb.			'000 lb.		
Year : 1963-64	40.3	231.1	22.61	18,584	n.a.	n.a.
1964-65	39.7	223.7	n.a.	18,153	22,753	32,166
Latest 3 Mths., 1966	14.88	243.6	n.a.	5,365	n.a.	14,270
Same 3 Mths., 1965	13.02	159.9	n.a.	3,664	2,500	13,910
Month, 1965 Apr.	2.47	63.5	1.57	535	876	1,273
May	3.57	0.2	2.57	775	2,602	1,175
June	2.89	..	2.06	992	2,529	1,589
July	2.87	n.a.	2.06	1,654	2,251	1,544
Aug.	3.22	n.a.	3.75	999	2,194	550
Sep.	3.41	n.a.	3.34	1,176	2,494	227
Oct.	3.86	..	2.97	1,330	3,026	2,787
Nov.	3.58	..	1.35	1,882	2,740	6,004
Dec.	2.64	2.1	n.a.	2,811	n.a.	9,609
1966 Jan.	7.39	40.7	2.06	1,490	n.a.	3,885
Feb.	4.71	99.7	1.80	1,822	n.a.	4,426
Mar.	2.77	103.1	n.a.	2,053	n.a.	5,959

(a) Includes Bottled.

(b) Includes pickled vegetables, excludes tomatoes.

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Period	Tomato Sauce	Tomato Soup	Aerated Waters	Ice Cream	Other Frozen Confections	
					Milk Based (a)	Not Milk Based
	'000 gall.					
Year : 1963-64	1,910	2,725	24,148	5,667	687	812
1964-65	2,203	2,636	23,927	6,551	997	905
Latest 3 Mths., 1966	2,011	1,833	8,992	3,348	589	196
Same 3 Mths., 1965	1,237	n.a.	8,463	2,376	420	397
Month, 1965 Apr.	491.4	512.4	1,415	412	70	n.a.
May	105.9	26.1	1,201	308	52	n.a.
June	16.1	n.a.	1,255	370	48	10
July	17.8	7.6	1,370	407	84	11
Aug.	66.5	6.1	1,715	430	100	18
Sep.	38.4	n.a.	2,089	659	158	49
Oct.	66.8	n.a.	2,544	919	187	71
Nov.	71.9	15.9	3,028	937	207	80
Dec.	35.2	n.a.	3,905	1,057	210	67
1966 Jan.	255.7	33.7	3,597	1,228	230	85
Feb.	816.9	346.2	2,604	1,031	160	63
Mar.	938.4	1,453.7	2,791	1,089	199	48
Period	Confectionery		Biscuits	Butter (b)	Cheese (b)	Tobacco, Cigars, and Cigar- ettes (c)
	Chocolate or Con- taining Chocolate	Other				
	mill.lb.			'000 tons		mill.lb.
Year : 1963-64	36.2	39.1	69.6	103.0	r25.10	31.15
1964-65	r38.8	r42.0	74.7	111.3	27.27	r33.63
Latest 3 Mths., 1966	8.97	9.03	18.0	25.1	5.87	6.77
Same 3 Mths., 1965	7.59	8.45	17.1	26.1	6.38	7.81
Month, 1965 Apr.	3.85	3.21	6.00	4.16	1.38	2.55
May	4.57	3.53	6.24	3.08	1.05	2.58
June	4.55	3.85	6.61	2.70	0.91	2.96
July	4.22	4.01	7.15	8.89	3.36	2.88
Aug.	3.77	4.21	7.48	9.11	2.37	3.12
Sep.	3.47	4.35	6.86	13.49	3.02	3.00
Oct.	3.06	3.89	6.80	16.53	3.54	2.83
Nov.	2.79	4.03	7.37	16.27	3.39	2.89
Dec.	2.70	3.84	6.07	14.56	3.02	2.36
1966 Jan.	1.48	1.86	4.64	10.93	2.33	1.64
Feb.	2.99	3.32	5.85	7.64	1.82	2.32
Mar.	4.51	3.84	7.48	6.49	1.71	2.81

- (a) From and including July, 1965, this series includes production of Milk Based Mixes for Soft Serves and Thick Shakes.
- (b) Factory production only.
- (c) A new series of Monthly Production from July, 1963, as reported by Department of Customs and Excise. The former series related to quantities upon which excise duty was paid.